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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2005/000257	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE January 12, 2005	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED January 14, 2004; January 7, 2005	
TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD OF ELONGATING OPTICAL FIBER BASE MATERIAL, AND APPARATUS FOR ELONGATING THE SAME			
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